

2014 Directory of Summer Youth Volunteering

Big Brothers Big Sisters of Central Missouri

Contact: Heather Dimitt

Phone: 573.874.3677 ext. 202

Email: heather@bigsofcentralmo.org

Age range: 18+

Times: See your Little Brother or Little Sister 2-4 times a month with a one year commitment.

Duties: Participate in weekly activities with a child. Must have a driver's license and reliable access to a car.

Boone County Council on Aging

Contact: Katie Derrick

Phone: 573.443.1111

Email: katie.derrick@booneaging.org

Age Range: 15+

Times: Sats. 9am-12:30pm or Weekday evenings through June, July or Aug.

Duties: Mowing, raking, hedge trimming, weed pulling, gardening, clearing of yard debris, and painting at the homes of senior citizens. Visit our website at www.BooneAging.org.

Boys and Girls Clubs of Columbia

Contact: Anna West or Olivia Jones

Phone: 573.874.1697

Email: anna@bgc-columbia.org or olivia@bgc-columbia.org

Age Range: 16+

Times: 8am-5pm M-F during the summer (8 weeks).

Duties: Program Aids, assisting with programs, activities, and field trips for the Boys and Girls Club members.

Cedar Creek Therapeutic Riding Center

Contact: Karen Grindler

Phone: [573.875.8556](tel:573.875.8556)

Email: cedarcreektrc@gmail.com

Age Range: 12+

Times: Wed. 3-5pm or 5-7pm, Thurs. 1:30-4:15pm or 4:30-6:30pm, Fri. 4:30-6:30pm, Sat. 9:30-11:30am, Volunteer training is Monday, June 9, 6-8pm.

Duties: Assist individuals with disabilities as they participate in equestrian therapy. Horse experience is not necessary, but certainly appreciated.

City of Columbia-Parks & Recreation

Contact: Cassie Dins

Phone: 573.874.6341

Email: crdins@GoColumbiaMo.com

Times/Duties: Third Wednesday evening of each month May-Sept. to help with Family Fun Fests at Flat Branch Park; other dates as needed.

City of Columbia-Columbia Parks and Recreation / Aquatics

Contact :Janel Twehous

Phone: 573.874.7467

Email: jlt@GoColumbiaMO.com

Age Range: 12-15

Times: Varies

Duties: Serve as a Junior Lifeguard or volunteer swim instructor

City of Columbia Solid Waste Volunteer Program

Contact: Andrea Shelton

Phone 573.874.6271

Fax: 573.449.9641

Email: amshelto@GoColumbiaMo.com

Ages: 13+

Time: Monday-Friday early afternoons, Saturday mornings and afternoons.

Duties: Assisting instructors of classes with administration of eco-presentation to young children, directing traffic, distributing materials, and greeting those attending classes and events.

City of Columbia - Public Works/Stormwater

Contact: Mike Heimos

Phone: 573.874.7250

Email: mjheimos@GoColumbiaMo.com

Age Range: All ages welcome

Times: Evenings and Weekends

Duties: Volunteers conduct stream cleanups and apply "Dump No Waste...Drains to Stream" decals on storm drains to inform citizens about water quality issues.

City of Columbia - Volunteer Programs - Youth in Action

Contact: Tina DeClue or Anastasia Harris

Phone: 573.874.7499

Email: volunteer@GoColumbiaMo.com

Age Range: 12-15

Times: Varies

Duties: Participate in a wide variety of structured and supervised volunteer activities.

Columbia Art League

Contact: Mellodie Wilson

Phone: 573.443.8838

Email: calvolunteer@gmail.com

<http://www.artintheparkcolumbia.org/volunteerform.html>

Age Range: 14+

Times: June 7th 10am-5pm, June 8th 10am-4pm

Duties: Helping with artist hospitality, counting visitors, helping in the Children's Creative Tent, selling soft drinks.

Coyote Hill Christian Children's Home

Contact: Kari Hopkins

Phone: 573.874.0179

Email: kari@coyotehill.org

Age Range: 16+ (or 15 if accompanied by a parent)

Duties: Mentoring, reading with younger children (age 5), washing windows, deep cleaning houses, landscape work & gardening, event assistance (Open House in September, 5K in April, Pancake Breakfast in March), tutoring during the school year, cooking a meal for a family, organizing a family game night. www.coyotehill.org

The Food Bank for Central & Northeast Missouri

Contact: Melanie Lake, Volunteer Coordinator

Phone: 573.474.1020

Email: melaniel@sharefoodbringhope.org

Age Range: 18+ Those 17 and under must be accompanied by a responsible adult.

Times: Mon.-Thurs.. 9am-12pm, 1-8pm. ; Fri. 9am-12pm, 1-5pm ; Sat. 9am-12pm, 1-3pm.

Duties: Sort and repackage bulk food items.

The Peace Nook/Mid-Missouri Peaceworks

Contact: Mark Haim, Kim Dill, Jason Burke

Phone: 573.875.0539

Email: mail@midmopeaceworks.org

Age Range: 8th Grade and Older

Times: Mon-Sat. 10am-9pm; Sunday, 12pm-6pm. 2 Hours per week are greatly appreciated.

Duties: This is a non-profit retail store that needs volunteers to assist customers, aid staff with inventory, check in orders, clean, dance, sing, laugh, etc.

Preferred Hospice of Missouri

Contact: Valen Kastens

Phone: 573.499.4540

Email: ykastens.col@preferredhospice.com

Age Range: 16+

Times: Monday-Friday 8am-5pm.

Duties: Assist administration, patient companionship, and create craft projects

SAFE KIDS Columbia Coalition

Contact: Michele Imes

Phone: 573-875-9216

Email: imesm@health.missouri.edu

Age Range: 14-18 years

Event: Safe Kids Discovery Day 2014

Times: Saturday, June 14 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m

Duties: Event duties range from parking assistance, registration, booth support, face painting, and several other positions. This 1-day event is a wonderful way to help educate our community and young children on the importance of prevention and safety.

Show-Me State Games

Contact: Cindy Garcia

Phone: 573.884.2946

Email: garciacs@missouri.edu

Age Range: 13+ with responsible adult

Times: Sunday Morning, Track and Field, July 27th

Duties: Timing, recording scores, handing out water, etc.

TRYPS Children's Theater

Contact: Jill Womack

Phone: 573.449.4536

Email: tryskids@gmail.com

Age Range: 14+

Times: Monday-Friday 6-9pm beginning July 8th-18th.

Duties: TRYPS will have volunteer opportunities for students interested in technical theater: prop making, set building, scene painting, and stage lighting at Rock Bridge High School's Performing Arts Center.

Voluntary Action Center

Contact: Nick Foster

Phone: 573.874.2273

Email: dir@vacmo.org

Age Range: 13+

Times: Tuesdays and Thursdays; June 11-Aug. 8, 9am-12pm or 1pm-4pm.

Duties: Help with distribution of fans and air conditioning window units, assist with other office task

City of Columbia Volunteer Programs

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